

a schedule satisfactory to said Secretary; and no water from the Saint Mary River watershed shall be furnished for the irrigation of lands within any district after the irrigation season of 1930 until the required contract has been duly executed."

Use of water from Saint Mary River restricted until contract executed.

SEC. 2. All contracts with the Government touching the project shall be uniform as to time of payment and charge for the construction of the Saint Mary diversion.

Uniformity of contract.

Approved, July 3, 1930.

CHAP. 858.—An Act To authorize the incorporated town of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not to exceed \$1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring public utility properties, and for other purposes.

July 3, 1930.
[H. R. 9707.]
[Public, No. 531.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the incorporated town of Ketchikan, Alaska, is hereby authorized and empowered to issue its bonds in any sum not to exceed \$1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring for the said town of Ketchikan the public utility properties of the Citizens Light, Power and Water Company and to finance and operate the same by the municipality of Ketchikan: Provided, however, That no issue of bonds or other instruments of any such indebtedness shall be made, other than such bonds or other instruments of indebtedness in serial form maturing in substantially equal annual installments, the first installment to mature not later than five years from the date of the issue of such series and the last installment not later than thirty years from the date of such issue.

Ketchikan, Alaska. Bond issue authorized for acquiring properties of Citizens Light, Power and Water Company.

Proviso. Restrictions.

SEC. 2. That before said bonds shall be issued a special election shall be ordered by the common council of the town of Ketchikan, at which election the question of whether such bonds shall be issued shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the said town of Ketchikan whose names appear on the last assessment roll of said town for municipal taxation. Thirty days' notice of such election shall be given by publication thereof in a newspaper printed and published and of general circulation in said town before the day fixed for such election.

Electors to decide issue of bonds.

Notice of election.

SEC. 3. That the registration of such election, the manner of conducting the same, and the canvass of the returns of said election shall be, as near as practicable, in accordance with the requirements of law in general or special elections in said municipality, and said bonds shall be issued only upon condition that not less than 65 per centum of the votes cast at such election in said town shall be in favor of issuing said bonds.

Manner of conducting.

Favorable percentage required for issue of bonds.

SEC. 4. That the bonds above specified, when authorized to be issued as hereinbefore provided, shall bear interest, at a rate to be fixed by the common council of Ketchikan, not to exceed 6 per centum per annum, payable semiannually and shall not be sold for less than their par value, with accrued interest, and shall be in denominations not exceeding \$1,000 each, the principal to be due in thirty years from date thereof: *Provided, however, That the common council of the said town of Ketchikan may reserve the right to pay off such bonds in their numerical order, at the rate of not less than \$22,000 thereof per annum from and after the expiration of five years from their date. Principal and interest shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the town treasurer or such place as may be designated by the common council of the town of Ketchikan, the place of payment to be mentioned in the bonds: And provided further, That each and*

Interest rate, etc.

Denomination, etc.

Proviso. Right to pay off numerically, may be reserved.

Place of payment.

Signatures, on bonds. every such bond shall have the written signature of the mayor and clerk of said town of Ketchikan and also bear the seal of said town.

Restriction on use of funds. SEC. 5. That no part of the funds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be used for any purpose other than that specified in this Act. Said bonds shall be sold only in such amounts as the common council shall direct, and the proceeds thereof shall be disbursed for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned and under the order and direction of said common council from time to time as the same may be required for said purposes.

Disbursement, etc.

Approved, July 3, 1930.

July 3, 1930.
[H. R. 11144.]
[Public, No. 532.]

CHAP. 859.—An Act To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to extend, remodel, and enlarge the post-office building at Washington, District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to enter into contracts for the extension, remodeling, and enlargement of the post-office building, Washington, District of Columbia, on land already owned by the Government in square 678, including the extension of existing mechanical equipment, mail handling, conveying, and other apparatus, where necessary, in an amount not exceeding \$4,000,000: *Provided,* That the plans and specifications for such buildings shall be approved by the Fine Arts Commission and by the Postmaster General.

Approved, July 3, 1930.

Post Office Building,
D. C.
Contracts for extension,
etc., of, authorized.

Sum authorized.
Proviso.
Plans to be approved
by Fine Arts Commission.

July 3, 1930.
[H. R. 12096.]
[Public, No. 533.]

CHAP. 860.—An Act Authorizing an appropriation for the purchase of the Vollbehr collection of incunabula.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purpose of acquiring for the Library of Congress the collection of fifteenth century books known as the Vollbehr collection of incunabula and comprising three thousand items, together with the copy on vellum of the Gutenberg forty-two-line Bible known as the Saint Blasius-Saint Paul copy, there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,500,000, or so much thereof as may be recommended by the Librarian of Congress in an estimate submitted for the purpose.

Approved, July 3, 1930.

Vollbehr collection of
incunabula.
Sum authorized for
acquiring for Library of
Congress.
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July 3, 1930.
[H. R. 12923.]
[Public, No. 534.]

CHAP. 861.—An Act To authorize appropriations for construction at military posts, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated not to exceed \$4,370,019 to be expended for construction and installation at military posts of such technical buildings and utilities and appurtenances thereto as may be necessary, as follows:

Barksdale Field, Shreveport, Louisiana (attack wing): Hangars, \$170,000; field shop, \$8,000; photo building, \$42,000; parachute and armament building, \$15,000; gas and oil storage, \$10,000; paint, oil, and dope warehouse, \$5,000; paved aprons, \$85,000; grading landing field and technical building area, \$115,000; completion field warehouse, \$12,000.

Army.
Construction authorized
of buildings, etc.,
at military posts.

Barksdale Field, La.